



IFW

TRANSMITTAL FORM <i>(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)</i>	Application Number	10/527,398	
	Filing Date	08/11/2004	
	First Named Inventor	Yukitsuka KUDO et al.	
	Group Art Unit	1626	
	Examiner Name	Yong Liang Chu	
Total Number of Pages in This Submission		Attorney Docket Number	740630-94

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment / Reply <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (for an Application) <input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Declaration and Power of Attorney <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to Group <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Corrected Filing Receipt with Enclosures <input type="checkbox"/> A self-addressed prepaid postcard for acknowledging receipt <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): Response to Restriction/Election Requirement
Remarks		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-2380 for the above identified docket number.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT	
Firm or Individual name	Donald R. Studebaker, Reg. No. 32,815 Nixon Peabody LLP 401 9 th Street, N.W. Suite 900 Washington, D.C. 20004-2128
Signature	
Date	October 25, 2006

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION [37 CFR 1.8(a)]	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being:	
<input type="checkbox"/> deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop _____, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	
<input type="checkbox"/> transmitted by facsimile on the date shown below to the United States Patent and Trademark Office at (703) _____.	
_____ Date	_____ Signature
	_____ Typed or printed name



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:)
Yukitsuka KUDO et al.) Group Art Unit: 1626
Serial No. 10/527,398) Examiner: Yong Liang Chu
Filed: 08/11/2004)
For: PROBES FOR DISEASES IN WHICH) Date: October 25, 2006
AMYLOID ACCUMULATES, AGENTS)
FOR STAINING AMYLOID, DRUGS)
FOR TREATMENT AND)
PROPHYLAXIS OF DISEASES WITH)
ACCUMULATED AMYLOID, AND)
PROBES FOR DIAGNOSIS OF)
NEUROFIBRILLARY TANGLES AND)
AGENTS FOR STAINING)
NEUROFIBRILLARY TANGLES)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

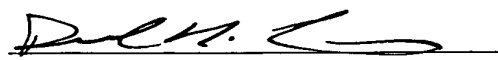
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 26, 2006, Applicants provide the following election.

Applicant hereby elects the species of Group III, claims 1-9 and 25 and drawn to products of formula (I).

Should the Examiner believe a conference would be of benefit in expediting the prosecution of the instant application, he is hereby invited to telephone counsel to arrange such a conference.

Respectfully submitted,


Donald R. Studebaker
Reg. No. 32,815

Nixon Peabody LLP
401 9th Street N.W.
Suite 900
Washington, D. C. 20004
(202) 585-8000